

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Atty. Docket No.: AT9-99-407

In re Application of:

EDWIN J. HILPERT, JR., ET AL.

Serial No.: 09/467,418

Filed: December 20, 1999

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS

FOR DISSEMINATING **BROADCAST INFORMATION** TO A HANDHELD DEVICE

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AMENDMENT A UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated February 26, 2004, having a shortened statutory period set to expire May 26, 2004, extended to June 26, 2004. A Petition for Extension of Time is filed concurrently herewith, and a check for the appropriate fee of \$110.00 is also enclosed herewith. No additional fees are believed to be required for this amendment; however, in the event any additional fees are required, please charge any such fee to IBM Corporation Deposit Account Number 09-0447. Please amend the above-identified application as indicated below.

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